



Attorney's Docket No. 041309/262110

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Manekazu Date, et al.
Appl No.: 10/615,571
Filed: July 8, 2003
For: OPTICAL DEVICE AND DISPLAY APPARATUS

Confirmation No.: 1889

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P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 16, 2004

Petition To Grant Receipt of Omitted Item(s) And To Refund Petition Fee

As set forth in MPEP §506.02, Applicant hereby petitions to grant that the above-identified application was correctly filed in its entirety on July 8, 2003. Enclosed are the following documents:

1. Return Copy of the Notice of Omitted Item(s) in a Non-Provisional application;
2. Response to the Notice of Omitted Item(s) in a Non-Provisional application;
3. Declaration of Gwen Frickhoeffer; and
4. Copy of entire application as filed.

There is no error on the part of Applicant.

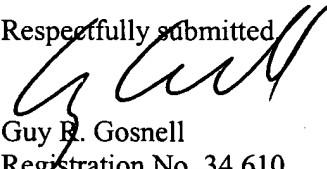
A check in the amount of \$130.00 in payment of the petition fee as set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(h) is enclosed herewith. Any additional fee may be charged or any overpayment credited to our Deposit Account No. 16-0605. Because no defect existed, however, Applicant also respectfully requests refund of the petition fee.

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Respectfully submitted

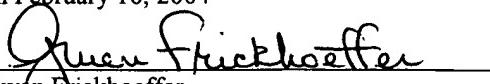

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